

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

State of Arkansas
95th General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1137

By: Representative Walker

By: Senator Irvin

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE OFFICES OF SHERIFF AND TAX
COLLECTOR IN SEARCY COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE OFFICES OF
SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR IN SEARCY
COUNTY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY.

(a) Effective January 1, 2027, the offices of sheriff and tax collector in Searcy County, Arkansas, shall be separate offices.

(b) At the 2026 general election, the electors of Searcy County shall elect both a sheriff and a tax collector, and each officer so elected shall take office on January 1, 2027.

(c) The sheriff and the tax collector in Searcy County shall each give bond for the faithful performance of their respective duties as provided by law.

(d) The sheriff and the tax collector of Searcy County shall each receive compensation that shall be determined by the Searcy County Quorum Court within the minimum and maximum compensation range prescribed by the General Assembly and shall hire deputies and have other allowances as prescribed by the Searcy County Quorum Court.

